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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Miguel Angel Fuenzalida
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Compositions Containing Wood
Alcohols or Wood Sterols Useful
For Lowering Serum Cholesterol

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Petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a three (3) month extension in which to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed on November 4, 2004. The purpose of this request is to file the enclosed Amendment in Response to Final Office Action and Request for Continued Examination.

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), a check in the amount of \$1,810.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee and RCE.

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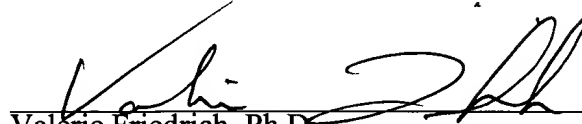
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